PROBLEM-BASED LEARNING UNIT

Day 3: Collaboration Introduction

Introduction w/Anchor Chart

- Discuss importance/purpose of collaborating
 - Task completion
 - Think deeper
 - o Etc.

Collaboration

Responsibility for Oneself:

- Complete tasks on time
- Use feedback to improve his or her work
- Do what he or she is supposed to do without being reminded
- Prepare and be ready to work with the team; be available for meetings

Helping the TEAM:

- Help the team solve problems, manage conflicts, and stay focused and organized
- Share ideas that help the team improve its work
- Give useful feedback (specific and supportive) to others so they can improve their work
- Offer help to peers to assist in their work

Respect Others:

- Listen carefully to teammates
- Be polite and kind to teammates
- Discuss important things to consider when collaborating

Demonstrate w/Activity

- o Put students into groups of 4-5 students
- o Give each group one piece of paper and tell them that they must collaborate to list as many things as possible that they ALL have in common
- The goal is to collaborate in order to complete the task
- o At the end, reflect on what the activity demonstrated